NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

OF STATE HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION BIDS

TO BE RECEIVED ON OCTOBER 17, 2016

Sealed Bids will be received by the City of Johnson City at their offices in Office of the Director of Purchasing, 209 Water Street, Johnson City, TN, until 3:30 P.M., October 17, 2016 and opened publicly at Office of the Director of Purchasing, 209 Water Street, Johnson City, TN at that hour. See Article 10.2 of the Supplemental Instructions for Bidders for instructions on how the bid documents should be submitted. The reading of the bids will begin at 3:30 P.M.

The PROJECT is titled "Roundabout at the Intersection of Browns Mill Road and Mountainview Road." The PROJECT includes the reconstruction of the intersection of Browns Mill Rd. and Mountainview Rd., including grading, drainage, paving, sidewalk, pavement markings, and associated construction approximately 200' on each leg of the intersection.

PROPOSAL CONTRACTS WILL BE ISSUED UNTIL THE TIME SET FOR OPENING BIDS

A Prime Contractor must prequalify with the Department of Transportation in accordance with Section 54-5-117 of the "**Tennessee Code Annotated**" and Tennessee Department of Transportation Rule 1680-5-3 prequalification of contractors before biddable proposals will be furnished.

The City of Johnson City hereby notifies all bidders that a <u>8</u>% Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) goal has been set for this project and must be met or exceeded. All DBE firms must be TNUCP certified a listing of these firms can be found on TDOT's Small Business Development website and pre-qualified by the TDOT Construction Division as stated in the Local Government Guidelines Manual.

The **City of Johnson City** hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of age, race, color, religion, national origin, sex or disability in consideration for an award.

The **City of Johnson City** is an equal opportunity affirmative action employer, drug-free with policies of non-discrimination on the basis of race, sex, religion, color, national or ethnic origin, age, disability or military service.

Telephone **423-975-2716**

THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS IS RESERVED

Bidding documents and plans may be obtained for the amount of \$100.00 per set plus 9.75% sales tax, for in-state delivery, by contacting the **Purchasing Department; City Services Complex 209 Water Street Johnson City, TN 423-975-2716**. No partial sets will be available. Cash, company check, certified company check, or money orders for the amount of purchase shall be made to the City of Johnson City. This payment is not refundable. Information or questions about the project can be answered by the project manager **Anthony Todd; 209 Water Street Johnson City, TN 423-975-2733.**

NOTE TO PUBLISHER: The above notice is to be published no later than September 25, 2016. It is permissible and desirable that ads be run on that day.